Welcome to Industry Day

CSC Technical Support Services NOAA Coastal Services Center Charleston, SC September 3, 2003

Contracting Officer

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Contracting Officer's Technical Representative (COTR)

- On site at CSC
- Reports directly to Contracting Officer at EASC, Norfolk
- Responsible for oversight of the basic contract
- Task monitors will be designated for task orders

Acquisition Strategy

- Full and Open Competition
 - Center's mission demands best available expertise
 - Robust subcontracting plan to support NOAA's socioeconomic goals
 - Teaming arrangements encouraged

The Contracting Process

- CONOPS (Concept of Operations)
 - A streamlined acquisition process characterized by:
 - Empowered multifunctional team
 - Up front project agreement
 - Oral presentations
 - Partnerships with industry
 - New uses of technology

Contract Type

- IDIQ (Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity)
 - Task Orders
 - Fixed price
 - Time and materials/labor hour
 - Performance Based Statements of Work
 - Focus on end results
 - Labor categories and levels of effort used for estimating purposes only

Estimated Major Milestones

Phase I

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- Receive Capabilities/Approaches
- Initial Down Select

Oct. 22, 2003 Dec. 12, 2003

Jan. 16, 2004

Phase II

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- Receipt of Full Proposals
- Oral Presentations (if necessary)
- Final Proposal Revisions
- Contract Award
- Contract Start Date

Feb. 2, 2004

Mar. 12, 2004

Apr. 30, 2004

May 21, 2004

June 18, 2004

Sep. 1, 2004

Subcontracting

- Contract will include a robust subcontracting plan to ensure participation by:
 - Small Business
 - Disadvantaged Business
 - Woman Owned Business
 - Veteran Owned Business
 - HUBZone Business

NAICS Code

 Current: 541519 – Other Computer Related Services

 Potential: 541690 – Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services

Industry feedback is welcomed

Central Contractor Registration

- Required beginning October 1, 2003
- Prospective contractors are encouraged to register with CCR as soon as possible
- On line registration
- Website -- www.ccr.gov

Expected Technical Selection Factors

- Technical approach
- Innovation, quality-control plan
- Flexibility and access to extra and unique skills on as-needed basis
- Corporate experience in providing similar services
- Descriptions, outputs, and outcomes
- Management organization
- Organizational structure
- Staffing, retention, and recruitment
- Training plan
- Employee incentives and awards
- Teaming/subcontracting approach
- Past performance

Best Value Determination

 Contract to be awarded on a best value basis considering both technical and cost factors